

7 February 1952

Lieutenant General LeRoy Lutes, USA  
Commanding, Headquarters Fourth Army  
Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Dear LeRoy,

Thank you for your letter of 26 January 1952,  
concerning the employment of [redacted] by the  
Central Intelligence Agency.

Our Personnel people advise me that [redacted]  
was interviewed at his home on 12 November 1951 and made a  
very favorable impression. His application is now being  
reviewed by the various shops which would have an interest  
in an individual with his qualifications and we shall, of  
course, get in touch with him when a final determination is  
made. I might note, however, that the grade and salary which  
he indicated he is seeking may make it impossible to place him  
and am sure that you will agree with me that \$12,000-a-year  
positions in the Government service are rather hard to come by.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

*Walter B. Smith*

Walter B. Smith  
Director

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